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Like the bulldog, winter let go just to get a new grip.

As long as Sir John French keeps up his fighting, perhaps the Britishers will pardon him for his loquacity at intervals.

Those who are guilty of "rocking the boat," as Pres. Wilson charges, please stand up and be counted. Are you one?

The Burlington News prints a news story about "a fatality in Eden," forgetting that the accident occurred some thousands of years back.

While looking around for precedents, the Vermont legislature might note that the supreme court of Missouri has declared an order for Bible and Lord's prayer reading in a public school to be against constitutional religious freedom.

Mr. Hagood of Peru is right; we should not hurry legislation. However, we should let legislation hurry us out of a snail pace and so get done with it sometime before the Fourth of July when Champ Clark is going to have us all working.

The best wishes of the newspaper fraternity of Vermont will be extended to Donald M. Tobin, who has purchased the Swanton Courier, which was founded by his father, T. M. Tobin, 35 years ago, and who with the forthcoming weekly issue will assume the responsibilities of publication. Publisher Tobin has a good field of operation and he is well acquainted with it—two conditions which bespeak for him that success which all his friends expect. The Courier is a lively weekly and fits into its field well.

It must be taken as a good sign of improved conditions in the Vermont National Guard when the members turn out so well for the annual inspection as they have done in most cases during the inspection now being held. In some cases the attendance has been 100 per cent. of the total enrollment and in other cases the attendance has approached very nearly to that percentage. Co. I of Brattleboro last Thursday night had every man out for the inspection, as did Co. H of Montpelier a few days earlier. Moreover, the unofficial reports of conditions in the armies and of the exhibition of military tactics are being in the main quite satisfactory. In those conditions the people of the state should feel satisfied that all the efforts being put out in this department are not being wasted by any means.

It needs no declaration to convince the world that the German spirit is the whole backbone of the nations warring against the triple entente powers, but features crop up now and then to add their corroboration to the general impression. Not the least of these is the fact that German officials have been sent into Turkey to drill a Turkish army into shape to meet the threatened invasion by the triple entente powers, coupled with which is the unconfirmed report that Turkey a few weeks ago was ready to surrender Constantinople to the allies and had the plans all made until Germany heard of the proposal and intervened, driving Turkey to defend her capital. As stated, the report is not confirmed, but the presence of German army officers in Constantinople engaged in drilling Turkish troops would seem to bear out the report to a certain extent, together with the assertion by refugees that the Turks in the capital were panic-stricken by reason of fear as the hostile fleet crept along the straits.

It is a frequent occurrence that the newspapers of Vermont are called upon to chronicle sawmill accidents, in which the victims of the machinery were killed or were badly injured; and it is a rare thing when the person caught in the



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machinery has the good luck to escape some sort of injury. In fact, the accidents are becoming so numerous as to arouse a suspicion that all the pains reasonably to be taken have not been taken to protect the lives of the persons who are employed about the mills, and that the employees themselves are more or less careless in approaching the parts of the machinery. Perhaps a word of caution to those who operate the mills and to their employees will not be amiss. There ought to be sufficient guards to the exposed parts of the machinery which are a source of danger, and the workmen themselves, who, by the nature of their occupation are forced to advance near the machinery, should see to it that no loose garment is allowed to be near the machinery. Both of these precautionary measures are very simple and easily carried out. Let us be a little more careful about the operation of equipment in our sawmills.

A U. S. NAVAL DISASTER.

That which is merely an incident of the events taking place across the Atlantic ocean appears to be a catastrophe of great magnitude when it comes home to the people of the United States. The loss of a submarine by one of the countries engaged in warfare is to those nations but a part of the day's developments and is passed over as one of the smaller demands of the great sacrifice being made in men and equipment; yet the sinking of a submarine of the United States navy engaged in practice in time of peace strikes the people of the United States with a strong sense of horror. The loss of 21 men of the crew of the F-4 is, of course, a real cause of regret, but it is nothing as compared with the immeasurably greater sacrifices which the nations of Europe are called upon to make. The slight taste of marine disaster which the people of the United States have been forced to receive gives them no appetite for war and will have a tendency, slight perhaps, to maintain an even more strict neutrality in the present conflict. If the time should come when the United States is forced to fight to protect her honor, the people—the vast majority of them—will stand behind their leaders and fight to the last drop of blood; but they never will consent to a war which has nothing but a comparatively trivial provocation to prompt its declaration. As for the present naval disaster—the loss of the submarine F-4—the sympathy of the entire nation will be extended to the relatives of the 21 men who went down to their deaths in the service of their country; and, doubtless, something more tangible than sympathy will be forthcoming to maintain them in material well-being following the loss of their agents of support, poor recompense as that may be for the sacrifice they are forced to make.

EAST ORANGE.

The death of Otis R. Smith came as a great shock to the people of East Orange. Mr. Smith had been in his usual health till Monday morning, when he was taken ill while at the barn doing the chores. A physician was called, but he could do nothing to allay his great suffering and Mr. Smith was taken to the City Hospital in Barre that day, where he had an operation for strangulation of the intestines, affecting three feet of the intestinal organs. He rallied from the operation, but a turn for the worse came Tuesday and he passed away at 9 o'clock that night. The deceased was 50 years old and a Civil War veteran, serving for three years in the war. Besides his wife he leaves many relatives and friends to mourn his loss. Funeral services were held at the Methodist church in Randolph Center at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon. Rev. Mr. Goodrich officiating. Interment was in the village cemetery.

Harry S. Smith had a successful operation for appendicitis at the Mary Fletcher Hospital in Burlington Tuesday. He is doing finely.

Fourteen from this place attended the funeral of the late Mr. Smith Friday night and all reported a fine time.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Hutchinson spent the week-end in Vergennes, visiting Mrs. Hutchinson's mother, Mrs. Partridge, who has been ill all winter.

Five children's gingham dresses to-day at Vaughan's.

TALK OF THE TOWN

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Dress sale at Fitts'. Easter millinery at Abbott's. You should see those waists for \$1.19 at Perry's.

An attractive house dress for \$1.19 at Perry's on Saturday.

Remember that the McWhorter Co. are headquarters for hand baggage.

Miss Zelma Goodell left this morning for her home in South Woodbury, where she will visit relatives for a fortnight.

John Agnew, instructor at Spaulding high school, left last night for his home in Port Henry, N. Y., where he will visit during the coming week.

Mrs. George Hayes of Framingham, Mass., returned home yesterday afternoon after visiting relatives in the city for the past few days.

A. Cameron Walker and George Walker of 11 Grant avenue left the city last evening for Boston, where they will make a week-end visit with friends.

J. L. Arkley of Averill street returned to Barre last night from Littleton, N. H., where he has been engaged in installing the machinery for a portable sawmill.

The Hardwick basketball team and a large number of basketball fans came to this city last night after the Spaulding-Hardwick game and are visiting friends in the city for a short time. Some are planning to visit here over Sunday, while others leave this afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. Patrick S. Duffy and little daughter, Dorothy, of North Main street, returned to-day from Burlington, where they were called by the death of the former's father, James Duffy. After the funeral services at St. Mary's cathedral in Burlington, the remains were taken to Georgia for burial.

A surprise party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Little on upper Washington street last night. The occasion was the birthday anniversary of Mr. Little, and Mrs. Pierce presented them both a set of silver teaspoons. Both Mr. and Mrs. Little responded feelingly. A vocal and instrumental program was rendered, after which whist and 500 were played.

John E. Morrison, who left the city Thursday afternoon, sailed from Boston yesterday on the Allan liner Pretorian, for Glasgow. From that city Mr. Morrison will proceed to his former home in Aberdeen for an extended sojourn. The Pretorian is the vessel which carried Frederick Taylor, alleged to have been a secret agent, who was detained in Scotland on the occasion of the ship's last voyage to Great Britain.

A party was given at the home of Miss Mary Tomasi of Seminary street Thursday evening in honor of Miss Dora Stemboult, who is visiting at Miss Tomasi's home while on her vacation from Smith college. About 20 young ladies were in attendance and the evening was pleasantly spent in games, cards and music.

Miss Teresa Bianchi rendered a vocal solo and the Misses Lorange and Tomasi gave several selections on the piano. Miss Angela Tierney gave a reading. During the evening refreshments of sandwiches, cake, wafers, coffee, candy and ice cream were served.

CURRENT COMMENT

Booming Quincy.

"The come and live in Quincy advertisement which appeared in the local and Boston papers last September and which resulted in a number of families seeking houses in this city made its appearance again to-day in metropolitan newspapers, and should bear good results. The advertisement sets forth some of the many advantages of Quincy as a place in which to seek a home. The advertisement is not in the interest of any particular individual, but of the entire city, being financed by the merchants in city square and the local real estate men. The one prominent thing in the advertisement about all others is the name Quincy which is set forth in large black face type. The gentlemen who are financing the advertisement deserve the thanks of the citizens in general—Quincy Ledger.

The Common Cold and Common Sense.

Most of us long ago reached the conclusion that the common cold, the bane of this season of the year, is infectious, and we sorely needed the assurance of Dr. G. S. C. Badger, in a popular talk at the Harvard medical school, that this diagnosis is approved by the experts. It is not a specific, definite disease and there is no known cure. The best treatment is to go to bed and not try to brave it out, lest worse evils befall the victim. As colds are infectious, we are ready to agree with Dr. Badger that the child with a cold should not go to school, nor the teacher with a cold teach, and that when a nurse gets a cold she should leave the patient.

In other words, as we isolate so many diseases, people with colds ought not to make themselves common carriers of the disorder. The nose cold or hay fever were not under discussion, but the common cold due to an infectious microbe. The lecturer said there are seven or eight of these organisms capable of producing the common cold, but three of them are responsible for most of the colds. Nasal douches, sprays and ointments Dr. Badger spoke of as helpful, but it was declared that they are not cures, and it was said that only at the very beginning can anyone hope to stop a cold. He added this sensible advice:

"Preventive measures are best. Keep out of the way of coughers and sneezers; don't handle them or let them handle you, for a shake of the hand from one who has recently coughed or sneezed into his hand may infect you."

Through experience most of us have arrived at the conclusion that set forth. But it is not high time that more emphasis should be placed upon the desirability, both for the person affected and the general public, of paying more attention to the infectiousness of colds. The amount of economic loss that is involved in the colds of a community is manifold, and the quicker a cold can be stopped the less detriment is involved. It is to be remembered also that it is not easy to differentiate at the start between a common cold and the grip infection, which is of course a much more serious matter. Therefore when we refuse to pay heed to common colds, much harm is brought about. It is worthy of consideration to go to bed on the appearance of a common cold it would result in the saving of time and money for the individual as well as saving for the protection of others. Some day this will be done as a matter of course. Whether physicians will promote and make popular a "Take care of your cold" society will greatly serve this day and generations.—Springfield Republican.

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Mission Union Sunday School, South Barre—Meets every Sunday. At 3 p. m. to-morrow, Rev. George H. Holt will preach.

Berlin Congregational Church—Frank Blomfield, pastor. Morning service at 10:45; topic of address, "The Kingly Jesus." Sunday school at noon. No young people's meeting.

Swedish Mission—At the Brook street chapel. Sunday school at 10:30 a. m. Preaching service at 7 p. m. Next Sunday night an Easter program will be given by the Sunday school. All welcome.

Christian Science Church—Service at 10:45 a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:30. To these services all are welcome. The reading room is open Tuesday and Friday from 2 to 4 p. m. 7 Summer street.

East Barre Congregational Church—James Ramage, pastor. Preaching service at 10:30 a. m.; topic, "The Glory of the Cross." Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. Christian Endeavor service at 7 p. m. All are cordially invited to these services.

St. John the Baptist Episcopal Church, Waterbury—W. J. M. Beattie, rector. Evening prayer and sermon at 6 o'clock; Sunday school at 2 p. m.; sermon on Thursday evening at 7:15. Good Friday services at 3 p. m. Rev. Mr. Dawson will be the preacher on Thursday and Friday evenings.

Salvation Army—To-night, open-air at Depot square at 7:30. Free and easy indoors at 8. Sunday services—Sunday school at 1:30 p. m. Open-air at 2:30. Christian's praise meeting at 3; subject, "Nearness of Hell." Young People's Legion meeting at 6:30. Open-air at 7:30. Salvation meeting at 8. All are welcome.

The First Presbyterian Church—Edgar Crossland, pastor. Morning service at 10:30; subject, "Christ and Things to Come." Sunday school at noon. Evening service at 7 o'clock; subject of sermon, "The Price of Africa." In this sermon Mr. Crossland will touch on the Anglo-Boer war. Mid-week service on Thursday at 7:30 p. m.; subject, "Alive For Evermore."

First Baptist Church—George H. Holt, pastor. Morning service at 10:30; subject of sermon, "Christ, the Peaceful Prince." Bible school at 12. Junior service at 3 p. m. Christian Endeavor service at 6; subject, "Enlarged Missionary Ideals"; leader, Harley Kidder. Evening service at 7; subject, "Restoration." Special passion week services will be held Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings at 7:30 o'clock.

Websterville Baptist Church—William Garshore, pastor. Morning service at 10:30; subject, "Christ's Power to Bless." Sunday school and men's class at 11:30. Review will be conducted by members of the Bible study class. Junior meeting at 3 o'clock. Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Evening service at 7 o'clock; subject, "Best for a Restless World." Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7 o'clock, followed by choir practice.

Seventh Day Advent Church—F. L. Abbott, pastor. Sunday evening service at 7:30; subject, "The Devil's Vocation." Will the Sinner Have a Second Chance? Bible study this week Thursday evening at 7:30; subject, "The Two Judgments." Prayer meeting will be held Friday evening at the usual hour and the pastor will speak on "Our Co-operation with God." Sabbath school and preaching service every Saturday morning at 9:30 and 10:30, respectively.

Church of the Good Shepherd—W. J. M. Beattie, rector. Holy communion at 8 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon at 10:30. Sunday school at 11:30. Evening prayer and sermon at 7 o'clock. Lesson service—Evening prayer and sermon on Tuesday and Wednesday at 7:30. Thursday, holy communion at 9 a. m. Evening prayer and address at 3 o'clock. Good Friday, morning prayer at 10:30; evening prayer, 7:30. Saturday, holy baptism. Man's Chance for God and Black Men." Marjory Andrews, leader. Dr. W. J. Atkinson of New Hampshire will speak at 7 o'clock. He is a very interesting speaker and deserves a large audience.

Universalist Church—John R. Brannen, minister. Preaching service at 10:30; subject, Individual Liberty in the Matter of Religious Belief. Bible study at 11:45; subject, "Review of the Quarter's Lessons." Devotional meeting of the

Young People's Christian union in the vestry at 7; subject, "A Study of Great Lives—Quillen Hamilton Shinn." Regular quarterly church meeting in the vestry Thursday evening at 7:30. Sunday morning Prof. W. A. Wheaton will play "Supplication" (Jadassohn) and "Postlude in D" (Goldtremann). The Orpheus quartet will sing "Jerusalem" (Parker) and "Rejoice, Jerusalem, and Sing" (Nevin). George F. Mackay will sing "The Palms" (Faure).

Congregational Church—J. W. Barnett, pastor. 10:30 a. m., worship and sermon; subject, "Our Problem and the Solution." 12 m., Sunday school. 3 p. m., the juniors. 4 p. m., the intermediates. 7 p. m., worship and sermon; subject, "With Thou He Made Whole." Thursday, 7:30 p. m., mid-week meeting. Preparatory services for the communion service to be held on Easter Sunday. To-morrow morning Miss Gale will play "Triumphal March" from "Nauman" (D'acosta), and the choir will sing an anthem, "This Is the Day Which the Lord Hath Made" (Schnecker); response, "Still, Still with Thee, My God" (Ambrose), and there will be an alto solo, "Lead, Kindly Light" (Hilgner). To-morrow evening Miss Gale will play "Louence" (Rubinstein), and "March" (Merkel). The choir will sing an anthem, "Break Forth Into Joy" (Stone); response, "More Holiness Give Me" (Bliss), and anthem, "The Lost Sheep" (Jordan).

WORCESTER.

Funeral of Roger Hovey Held from Methodist Church.

The funeral of Roger Hovey was held at the M. E. church Thursday, March 25, Miss Lillian D. Rember officiating. The bearers were Earl Maxham, Harold Cross, Hiram and Herman Curtis. Burial was in the Corner cemetery. Members of his Sunday school class were seated in a body. There was a profusion of flowers, among them being a bunch of roses and pinks from the class. Besides his parents, he leaves six brothers and three sisters and a large circle of friends. Those from out of town who attended the funeral were Mrs. Benjamin from Wolcott; Henry Jones and mother and Miss Anna Cummings from Middlesex.

Millinery Openings.
Mrs. Carrie Burke-Gonyo announces her annual spring millinery opening, which will be held at her parlors, 168 North Main street, Saturday, March 27. The public is cordially invited to call and inspect the latest spring creations in the millinery line.

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